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Applicants: Brian Lee Sauer and Andreas Walter Rufer

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For: *METHOD FOR SELECTING RECOMBINASE VARIANTS WITH  
ALTERED SPECIFICITY*

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**TRANSMITTAL OF DECLARATION OF INVENTORSHIP,  
STATEMENT CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS,  
STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b), AND REQUEST FOR REFUND**

Sir:

Applicants enclose the following for filing in the above-identified application:

1. Declaration of Inventorship executed by Brian Lee Sauer and Andreas Walter Rufer;
2. Statement Claiming Small Entity Status (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9(f) and 1.27(d) --- Nonprofit Organization) executed by Oklahoma Medical Research Foundation;
3. Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) executed by Oklahoma Medical Research Foundation, with attached copy of the executed Assignment from Brian Lee Sauer and Andreas Walter Rufer to Oklahoma Medical Research Foundation; and

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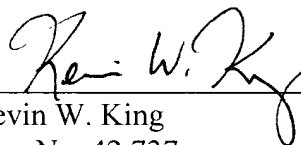
4. Check in the amount of \$65.00 for the small entity surcharge for late filing the Declaration of Inventorship.

Applicants have not received the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application.

Applicants respectfully request a 50% refund of the \$1,464.00 filing fee in the application, a total of \$732.00, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.28.

Please charge any other fees due, or credit any overpayment, in connection with this matter to Deposit Account No. 01-2507. A duplicate of this transmittal is enclosed to facilitate this process.

Respectfully submitted,

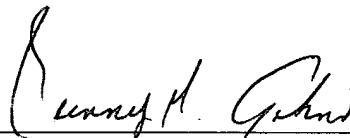
  
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**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.8(a)**

I hereby certify that this Transmittal of Declaration of Inventorship, Statement Claiming Small Entity Status, Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b), and Request for Refund, together with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed, is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to Box Missing Parts, Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.



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Sunny G. Johns

Date: June 6, 2000